



09-

## AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT

Application No. : 10/030,976  
Applicant: : Thomson  
Filed: : May 10, 2002  
Examiner: : Bergin, James S.

Confirmation No.: 6339

Group Art Unit: 3641

For: PRIMER CASING AND  
METHOD OF CHARGING A  
BLASTHOLE

Docket No. : 146-01  
Customer No. : 23713

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| CERTIFICATE OF MAILING  |                               |
| I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as Express Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 <u>EV 456.658 355 US</u> |                               |
| On <u>9/16/04</u>   | <u>L Murray</u><br>Lea Murray |

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)


Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the minimum extension of time necessary so that the accompanying Amendment and Response to Office Action is timely filed.

It is believed that an extension of two months is required. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$420.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17. If this amount is incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment under the foregoing rules to deposit account no. 07-1969.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sally A. Sullivan  
Reg. No. 32,064

Greenlee, Winner and Sullivan, P.C.  
5370 Manhattan Circle, Suite 201, Boulder, Colorado 80303  
Telephone: (303) 499-8080; Facsimile: (303) 499-8089  
email: winner@greenwin.com  
Attorney Docket No. 146-01  
lem:9/16/04

09/20/2004 WASFAW1 00000029 10030976

02 FC:1252

420.00 0P